

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Appln. No: 10/583,111  
Applicant: Keiichi Sakano  
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Title: NON-LINEAR EDITING DEVICE  
T.C./A.U.: 2621  
Examiner: Helen Shibru  
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Docket No.: MAT-8857US

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

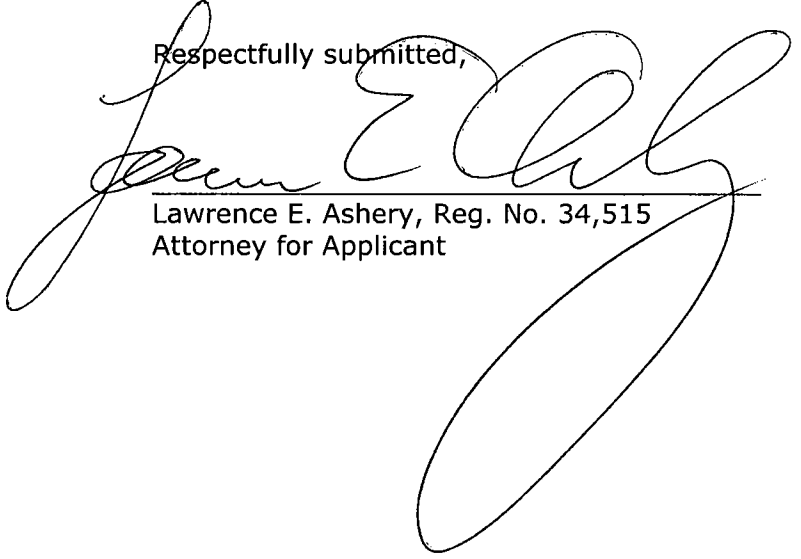
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Responsive to the Election Requirement dated October 27, 2009, Applicant elects for further prosecution the claims of Species 1, drawn to Fig. 1. The claims which are currently believed to correspond to that species are claims 1, 2, 5, 7 and 8.

This election is made without traverse. Claim 1 is generic.

Respectfully submitted,



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